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PETITION TO REVIVE UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b) AND AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned U.S. Patent Application 10/699,604 is filed in response to the Notice of Abandonment dated October 18, 2005.

As per the Notice of Abandonment, the applicant failed to file a response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed April 5, 2005. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of this petition was unintentional.

Per the requirements of the Office Action mailed April 5, 2005, Applicant submits herewith an Amendment and Response to the outstanding Office Action.

As applicant believes it has now met the requirements of the Office Action mailed April 5, 2005, Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner to grant this Petition to Revive. It is

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respectfully requested that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn, and that examination of the application be continued accordingly.

The PTO is hereby authorized to charge the \$750 Petition Fee and any additional fees required to the undersigned attorney's PTO Deposit Account #50-1047.

Respectfully submitted,

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